RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JAN 05 2006

PTO/SB/26 (09-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. 0MB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

REJECTION OVER A "PRIOR" PATENT	A03P1086
In re Application of: Euljoon Park	
Application No.: 10/748,486	
Filed: 12/29/2003	
FOI: IMPLANTABLE CARDIAC DEVICE TO PROMOTE INTRINSIC RHYTHM TO ALLEVIATE OR	THOSTATIC HYPOTENSION
The owner*. PACESETTER INC. of 100 percent interest except as provided below, the terminal part of the statutory term of any patent granted on the instatite expiration date of the full statutory term prior patent No. 6,351,672 as the term of and 173, and as the term of said prior patent is presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer. The granted on the instant application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that it and the agreement runs with any patent granted on the instant application and is binding upon the grantee,	he owner hereby agrees that any patent so the prior patent are commonly owned. This
In making the above disclaimer, the owner does not disclaim the terminal part of the term of any pay would extend to the expiration date of the full statutory term as defined in 35 U.S.C. 154 and 173 of patent is presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer." in the event that said prior patent later: expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee; is held unenforceable;	atent granted on the instant application that the prior patent, "as the term of said prior
is found invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction; is statutionly disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 CFR 1.321; has all claims canceled by a reexamination certificate; is relaxued; or	
is in any manner terminated prior to the expiration of its full statutory term as presently shorten	ed by any terminal disclaimer.
Check either box 1 or 2 below, if appropriate.	
For submissions on behalf of a business/organization (e.g., corporation, partnership, unive etc.), the undersigned is empowered to act on behalf of the business/organization.	rsity, government agency,
I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and the belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the Unistatements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.	that willful false statements and the like so
2. The undersigned is an attorney or agent of record. Reg. No. 43,179	
Fredl & Tanua	1/5/06
Signature 81/96/2996 TI 0111 99999969 169968 19748486	Date
Renald S. Tamura	
62 FC:1814 139-68 DA Typed or printed name	
	818-493-315 <u>7</u>
	Telephone Number
Terminal disclaimer fee under 37 CFR 1.20(d) included.	
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information and authorizate	ormation should not tion on PTO-2038.
"Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is required if terminal disclaimer is signed by the assignee (own- Form PTO/SB/96 may be used for making this certification. See MPEP § 324.	er).

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.321. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentially is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Three will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.